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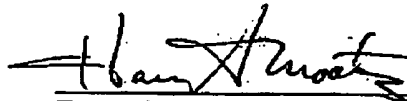
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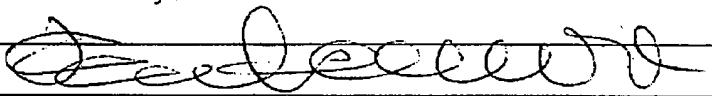


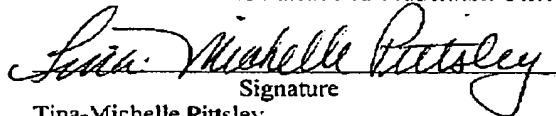
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Listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

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Declaration under 37 C.F.R. 1.132 by Dr. Fisher is attached herewith. (Third Declaration of David E. Fisher under 37 C.F.R. 1.132).

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